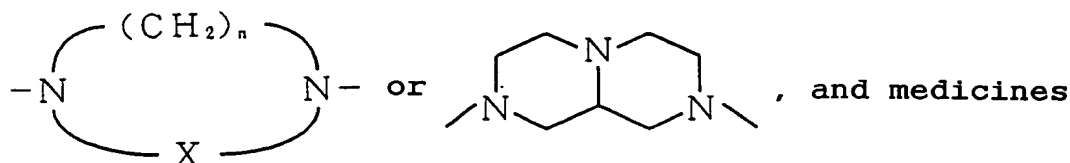


ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to diamide derivatives represented by the following general formula (1):



wherein A is a phenyl group or the like, which may be substituted, B is -CH=CH-, -C≡C-, -(CH=CH)₂-, -C≡C-CH=CH-, -CH=CH-C≡C-, phenylene or the like, and W is



comprising such a compound. These compounds have an excellent inhibitory effect on the production of an IgE antibody and are hence useful as antiallergic agents and the like.